

Proposed Bill No. 5430

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LCO No. 899

Referred to Committee on Transportation

Introduced by: REP. ROWE, 123rd Dist.

AN ACT INCREASING THE PENALTIES FOR DRIVING UNDER THE INFLUENCE FOR REPEAT OFFENDERS.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 That section 14-227a of the general statutes be amended to provide
- 2 that after a third conviction for driving under the influence, a person
- 3 shall (1) lose his or her driver's license for life, (2) be imprisoned for ten
- 4 years, five of which shall not be suspended, and (3) pay a fine that is
- 5 double the current fine for a third conviction.

Statement of Purpose:

To increase driving under the influence penalties for repeat offenders.